《天路导向》双语讲义

圣灵的果子 - 5 THE FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT - 5

SECTION A 甲部

- Hello, listening friends. We are glad you joined us again.
 亲爱的朋友,你好,很高兴你能收听我们今天的节目。
- 2. If you have been following this series of messages, we have been talking about the fruit of the Spirit.
 如果你一直在听我们这个系列节目,你就会知道,我们在讲圣灵的果子。
- 3. When we open our eyes daily, and welcome the Holy Spirit within, our lives begin to bear the fruit of the Spirit. 当我们每天睁开眼,迎接圣灵进住我们内心,我们的生命就会开始结圣灵的果子。
- 4. The Apostle Paul listed this fruit in a letter to the Galatians, 使徒保罗在写给加拉太的信里列举了圣灵的果子,
- 5. Chapter 5, verses 22 and 23. 在第五章, 22 节和 23 节。
- 6. We'll read it so as to refresh your memory. 我来读一下,以便你能记起来。

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(请读加 5:22-23)

- 7. In our last broadcast, we learned about the foundation fruit, which is love. 在上次节目里,我们学习了最根本的一种果子,就是仁爱。
- 8. Love, as a fruit, is what God the Holy Spirit will manifest in us as we get filled with Him every day.
 爱,就是当圣灵每天充满我们时,所彰显出来的果子。
- Today, we shall begin learning about the second fruit of the Spirit.
 今天,我们开始学习圣灵的第二种果子。

- 10. It is joy. 就是喜乐。
- 11. I want to begin by telling you what someone said about Christianity. 首先让我告诉你,某一个人对基督教的看法。
- 12. "The best argument for Christianity is Christians," he said. 他说:"基督教最强的说服力就在于基督徒,"
- 13. "- their joy, 他们的喜乐,
- 14. their certainty, 他们对信仰的肯定,
- 15. their completeness ; 他们的完全;
- 16. however," this person continued also to say, 这人继续说, "然而,"
- 17. "but the strongest argument against Christianity is also Christians, "最让人对基督教产生反感的,也是基督徒,
- 18. when they are somber and joyless, 当他们忧伤和没有喜乐的时候,
- 19. when they are self-righteous and smug in complacent consecration, 当他们自以为是,以及他们为自己的奉献感到自鸣得意时,
- 20. narrow and repressive."他们思想狭隘,却要约束别人。"
- 21. He continued to say that, at that point, Christianity dies a thousand deaths. 他接著说,到了这个地步,基督教就死亡了,而且死了千万次。
- 22. The world is constantly watching us to see our love, our joy and our peace. 世人不断地观察著我们,要看看我们所表现的仁爱、喜乐,以及和平。
- 23. Let me give you an example.

我举个例子。

24. In 1983, a very extensive survey was conducted throughout the United States by a leading polling agency.

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1983年,一家著名的民意测验公司在美国进行了一次非常广泛的调查。

- 25. The key question was this: 主要调查的问题是:
- 26. "What are you looking for most in life?" "你生命中最多追求的是什么?"
- 27. When the results were tabulated, the analysts were truly surprised.
 当统计数据出来的时候,分析家都大吃一惊。
- 28. Most of them expected answers such as "financial security," "success," and so on; 大多数人预计,答案是"经济保障,"或"成功,"等等;
- 29. but the top three things people wanted in life were, as follows:但是调查结果里,人们生活中最高的三项需求是:
- 30. love, joy, peace—in that order— 仁爱,喜乐,和平—就是按著这个次序,
- 31. the first three fruit of the Spirit. 也恰恰是圣灵果子的前三项。
- 32. Please listen to what I am going to tell you very carefully. 请仔细听我说,
- 33. What the world is desperate for, 世人迫切需要的,
- 34. whether they know it or not, 无论他们自己知不知道,
- 35. whether they are able to verbalize it or not, 无论他们能不能述说出来,
- 36. what the world is desperately looking for is not more sermons, not more exhortations, 他们极力追求的,不是更多的说教,或是劝告,
- 37. but what the world is desperately looking for is the quality of our love and the quality of our joy; 世人迫切寻求的是,真正的仁爱和真实的喜乐;

- 38. and that was the very mark that distinguished the believers in Jesus Christ from the rest of the Roman Empire.
 那正是当年区分基督徒和罗马帝国其他人民的一个显著的特徵。
- 39. Make no mistake about it. What people want to see in Christians is the quality of our joy. 要确实知道,人们希望在基督徒身上看到的,就是他们真实的喜乐。
- 40. Although the word "joy" is mentioned seventy times in the New Testament, yet, many Christians use "joy" and "happiness" interchangeably.

 尽管"喜乐"这个词,在新约里,被提到七十次之多,然而,许多基督徒喜欢交替地使用"喜乐"和"快乐"这两个词。
- 41. They use "joy" and "happiness" as if they were equivalent concepts, 他们似乎认为 "喜乐"和"快乐"这两个词的意义是同等的,
- 42. and that is precisely why many Christians are walking around very sad looking.
 那也说明了,为什么许多基督徒看上去总是愁眉苦脸的样子。
- 43. So many Christians wrongly think that church time is a time to be somber and sad and sour, not a joyful time. 许多基督徒误认为,在教会里应该是忧郁、难过和酸楚的,而非一个喜乐的时间。
- 44. So many Christians wrongly believe that the Christian faith is to walk around looking like being baptized in vinegar. 许多的基督徒也错误的相信,基督教的信仰,就像泡在醋缸里似的。
- 45. Sometimes, we ministers give Christianity a bad name. 有时,是我们这些传道人,使别人对基督教产生很差的印象。
- 46. There's a story that goes something like this: 有一个故事是这样的:
- 47. there was a preacher who was coming into town to hold some meetings, 有一个传道人,来到一个城市开会,
- 48. and a delegation from the church went to pick him up from the train. 教堂派了一些代表到火车站去接他。

- 49. When they got to the station, and the train stopped, a man walked out of the train and the head of the delegation went up to meet him. 他们来到车站,火车到了,看到一个人走出来,代表的领队就走上前去欢迎他。
- 50. "Are you the preacher?" "您就是那个传道人吧?"
- 51. And the man said, "No, no, no, my ulcer makes me look that way."
 那人赶紧说, "不是,不是,我有胃溃疡,所以让我看起来像个传道人。"
- 52. We often don't have the joy of the Lord on our faces.通常,我们脸上没有因主而来的喜乐。
- 53. Happiness and the pursuit of happiness have never made anybody happy. 追求快乐,从来没让任何人真正快乐过。
- 54. I'm going to defend my argument in a minute, 等一下我再阐述我的观点,
- 55. but listen carefully to what I'm going to tell you. 但请先仔细听我说。
- 56. Happiness comes from getting what you want, 快乐来自于得到你所想要的东西,
- 57. and getting what you want will give you temporary happiness.

 而得到你想要的,只会给你暂时的快乐。
- 58. I am not saying getting what you want doesn't make you happy.我不是说,得到你所想要的,不会让你快乐。
- 59. It does; 你会快乐;
- 60. but getting what you want will give you temporary happiness, which will fade away fast. 但这只会非常短暂,而且很快就会消退。
- 61. Then what? 之后呢?
- 62. Then, you want more, and more, and more. 之后,你会有更多,更多,更多的欲望。
- 63. The more you have, the more you want; 你获得的越多,你想要的就越多;
- 64. and the more you want, the more you want more.

 你想要的越多,你就越加想得到更多。

- 65. They tell me that drug addicts and alcoholics, when they start, they cannot stop with the same amount with which they started. 有人告诉我,吸毒和上酒瘾的人,当他们一开始吸食,就不能停留在起初的剂量,一定会越陷越深。
- 66. They have to get more and more and more, because they need to get higher and higher and higher or get more drunk. 他们需要不断加重剂量,越来越多,因为他们想更兴奋,更沉醉在其中。
- 67. It is the same with all human nature. 这是人的通性。
- 68. If happiness is your pursuit, you are never going to be satisfied. 如果你要追求快乐,你就永远不会满足。
- 69. Let me tell you something else about happiness. 让我告诉你,关于快乐其他方面的情形。
- 70. As you continue in your pursuit of happiness, the periods of temporary happiness get shorter and shorter and shorter.
 你不断追求快乐的时候,快乐持续的时间也越来越短。
- 71. I will tell you another problem about happiness that comes from getting what you want. 我还要告诉你,当你得到所追求的,你虽有一时的快乐,却会产生另一个问题。
- 72. You constantly have an inner fear that you may lose whatever it is that you have. 你心底会不断地担心,害怕有一天,失去你所得到的。
- 73. Now, contrast happiness with joy. 但是,喜乐就不同了。
- 74. Joy is a fruit, 喜乐是圣灵的果子,
- 75. and a fruit comes from the inside, not from the external, or the outside.
 果子是从里面生长出来的,而不是来自外表和外界。
- 76. Joy does not come from things. 喜乐不是从物质来的。
- 77. You cannot hang fruit on a tree unless it is fake fruit.
 你不能把果子挂在树上,除非是人造的假果子。

- 78. If you were to hang external fruit on a tree, sooner or later, it will rot on the tree; 如果你硬是将一个果子粘在树上,迟早,它会在树上腐烂;
- 79. but real fruit is produced when the nutrients of the tree flow freely to the branch. 但真正的果子长出来了,是因为有充分的营养被输送到树枝,
- 80. The real fruit is produced when the inner nourishment flows freely into the blossoms. 真正的果子能长出来,是因为内在的养分被输送到花朵那里,
- 81. The real fruit is produced when the tree is cultivated and has a healthy connection with the root.

 真正的果子能长出来,是因为这棵树有了很好的栽植,树根也都健康地成长。
- 82. It is not surprising, therefore, with what Jesus said. 因此,我们对耶稣所说的话就不以为怪了。
- 83. Listen carefully, please. 请仔细听。
- 85. John, Chapter 15, verse 5: 约翰福音, 15章, 第5节说:
- 86. "I am the vine; you are the branches. If a man remains in me and I in him, he will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing."
 "我是葡萄树,你们是枝子。常在我里面的,我也常在他里面,这人就多结果子;因为离了我,你们就不能作什么。"
- 87. He said, "Abide in me...," just like the branch abides in the tree.

 祂说,"常在我里面…,"就像树枝常在树里面一样。
- 88. What else did He say? 祂还说了什么?
- 89. Jesus said, "Abide in me so that your joy may be complete." 耶稣说,"常在我里面,让你们的喜乐得以完全。"

90. Let's read verses 10 and 11 of John 15. 我们来读约翰福音 15 章, 10 和 11 节。

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(请读约 15:10-11)

- 91. And that's where you get that complete joy. 这就是你可以得到完全喜乐的地方。
- 92. That is where you get that inner contentment. 这也就是你得到内在满足的地方。
- 93. It is by abiding in Christ. 就是要常在耶稣基督里。
- 94. Joy is dependent on abiding in Jesus Christ, while happiness is dependent on the outward circumstances of life. 常在耶稣基督里就能有喜乐,而快乐是从生活的外在条件带来的。
- 95. Joy is not dependent on the events in my life. 喜乐不取决于你生命中的遭遇。
- 96. Happy events make you happy; sad events make you sad; 但快乐的事情让你快乐,伤痛的事情让你难过;
- 97. so, happiness is dependent on the events in your life. 因此,快乐取决于你生活中所发生的事情。
- 98. Let's read to you what Paul is saying to the Philippians. 让我把保罗写给腓立比教会的书信读给你听。
- 99. Mark it in your Bible. 请在你的圣经里划出来。

SECTION B

<u>乙部</u>

- 1. The Apostle Paul commands the Philippians to be joyful. How? 使徒保罗让腓立比教会的人要喜乐,怎么喜乐呢?
- 2. Let's read it. 我们来读。

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(请读腓 4:1-4)

- Paul, then, continues by reminding them that their joy is not dependent on their circumstances,
 保罗不断提醒他们,喜乐不是来自他们所处的环境,
- 4. in Philippians 4, verses 5, 6 and 7. 在腓立比书 4 章, 5, 6, 7 节那里说。

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(请读腓 4:5-7)

- 5. Philippians, Chapter 4, has encouraged millions of people for the past 2,000 years.在过去的两千年里,腓立比书第 4 章已经鼓舞了数百万的人。
- 6. It really has been an encouragement to millions of people. 的确是鼓舞了数百万人。
- 7. I know it has been an encouragement to me, and I know it has been an encouragement to so many of you.

 对我是如此,我知道对你们中的很多人,也是一样。
- 8. Philippians 4 helped many believers to rediscover the real joy of the Lord that is manifested, even in the worst of circumstances; 即使在最恶劣的环境里,腓立比书第 4 章都能帮助信徒一再地发现,在主里所得到的真正喜乐;
- 9. but let me tell you a thing or two about the church in Philippi.
 但让我来告诉你一两件关于腓立比教会的事。
- 10. Reading the Epistle, we may be tempted to think that it was a model church with some minor problems. 读这卷书信时,我们会以为这是一个模范教会,只有些小问题。
- 11. I heard people say, in Galatians, Paul rips the church apart about their legalism. 我听人说,在加拉太书里,保罗严厉地责备那些死守律法主义者,几乎痛打他们一顿。
- 12. In the Corinthian church, he tells the church how carnal they are; 在哥林多教会,他指责那个教会被肉体情欲控制;

- 13. but you go into the Philippians and you think it's a beautiful thing.但当我们读腓立比书时,你会认为它非常优美。
- 14. These must be very happy people. 你想,这些人一定是非常开心的。
- 15. The Philippians didn't really seem to have many problems. 腓立比教会看上去实在没有什么问题。
- 16. Let me tell you a thing or two about the Philippians; but, then finish on the next program. 让我告诉你一两件关于这个教会的事情,到下一次的节目,我们才结束这个题目。
- 17. If you examine the Epistle closely, you will discover that Paul was addressing some very serious problems with that church. 如果你仔细读腓立比书,你会发现保罗在这个教会要处理一些非常严重的问题。
- 18. They were anxious about their material needs. 他们很担心自己物质方面的需求。
- 19. They were oppressed by outside forces and felt intimidated by the enemies of the cross. 他们被教会以外的势力压迫,又被跟十字架 敌对的力量威胁。
- 20. They were suffering economic hardships and, yet, they were exceedingly generous in supporting Paul's ministry; 他们虽然面对经济的困难,却很慷慨地支持保罗的事工。
- 21. and that is why Paul thanks them for their gift, and assures them that his joy does not come from material abundance.

 因此保罗为他们的馈赠感谢他们,同时也肯定地告诉他们,他的喜乐不是来自物质的丰富。
- 22. Let us read Chapter 4, verses 10 to 14, 让我们读腓立比书 4章 10节到 14节,

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(请读腓 4:10-14)

23. but what was even more serious for the Philippians is that, because of their suffering, they lost their inner strength; 但腓立比教会所面对的一个更严重的问题是,因为他们所受的苦,就失去了内心的力量。

- 24. and this, of course, made them vulnerable to all kinds of sin -- 自然使得他们很容易去犯各样的罪。
- 25. distrust, 不信任,
- 26. division, 分化,
- 27. jealousy, 嫉妒,
- 28. and that is why he commands them to "Rejoice in the Lord always; and again I say, rejoice." 这也就是保罗命令他们"要靠主常常喜乐;我再说,你们要喜乐。"
- 29. We are running out of time, and, in our next broadcast, 时间快要到了,在我们下次的节目里,
- 30. we will find out what Paul is really saying here. 我们将找出保罗在这里所说的,究竟是什么意思。
- 31. Until next time, I wish you God's richest blessing.愿神大大地赐福给你,下次节目再会。